

In re the application of KOLMANZE SAATHOFF et al.

Serial No. 09/554,343

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For: MOTOR-DRIVEN SCREW DRIVER

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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in connection with the above-identified application are the following:

- Amendment and Response to Office Action (18 pages);
- Proposed Drawing Correction (1 sheet);
- Cited References A-H;
- Illustrations A-B (2 sheets);
- Request for Three-Month Extension of Time (1 page – in duplicate); and a
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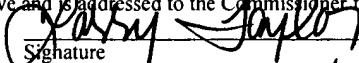
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 10, 2001, Applicants submit the following remarks. A Request for a Three Month Extension is enclosed herewith to extend the period for reply to February 11, 2002, February 10 being a Sunday. Reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims is hereby requested.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows.

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